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TAGS: EGEN, OCON, JA, JR

SUBJECT: POSSIBLE SUB-CABINET MEETING WITH JAPAN ON ECONOMIC
QUESTIONS

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1. DEPUTY MINISTER FONAFFAIRS TSURUMI TOLD US JUNE 28
GOJ ACCEPTS US PROPOSAL TO HOLD MEETING OF KIND OUTLINED
REFTEL A SOMETIME THIS FALL. GOJ UNABLE TO SUGGEST A
SPECIFIC DATE UNTIL AFTER UPPER HOUSE ELECTIONS JULY 7
AND SORTING OUT OF TRAVEL COMMITMENTS BY PRIME MINISTER
AND CABINET OFFICERS SINCE THEY WILL BE ACCOMPANIED
BY SOME OF THE SAME OFFICIALS WHO WOULD BE EXPECTED
PARTICIPATE IN US-GOJ SUB-CABINET LEVEL MEETING.
TSURUMI SAID GOJ FLEXIBLE CONCERNING SITE FOR MEETING
AND SUGGESTED THIS BE DECIDED IN LIGHT MUTUALY
ACCEPTABLE DATE AND CONVENIENCE OF BOTH SIDES.

2. COMMENT: I SUGGEST WE AWAIT A GOJ PROPOSAL FOR
DATE BUT, FOR PLANNING PURPOSES, SUGGEST US SIDE
CONSIDER WHETHER FINAL DAYS OF SEPTEMBER WOULD BE
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POSSIBLE. THIS WOULD NOT CONFLICT WITH PM'S TRAVEL

SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED THUS FAR (REFTEL).
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